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SUBJECT: FOREIGN MINISTER WISHES TO VISIT WASHINGTON

REF: REYKJAVIK 555

FOREIGN MINISTER AGUSTSSON TOLD ME DURING CALL ON HIM
THIS MORNING THAT HE WAS THINKING OF MENTIONING TO
SECRETARY DURING LONDON NATO MEETING HIS DESIRE VISIT
U.S. TO DISCUSS MATTERS OF MUTUAL INTEREST WITH LEADERSHIP
OF NEW ADMINISTRATION. HE SAID AMBASSADOR ANDERSEN'S
ATTEMPTS TO GET INDICATION OF WHETHER SUCH VISIT WOULD BE
ACCEPTABLE TO DEPARTMENT AND TIMING QTE HAD
GOTTEN NOWHERE UNQTE. BECAUSE HE BELIEVES CONTACT WITH
NEW LEADERSHIP WOULD BE HELPFUL IN BILATERAL RELATIONSHIPS,
HE WAS INCLINED TO THINK HE SHOULD RAISE SUBJECT WITH
SECRETARY. I TOLD FOREIGN MINISTER I HAD REPORTED TO
WASHINGTON HIS INTEREST IN SUCH A VISIT BUT HAD RECEIVED NO
RESPONSE, PRESUMABLY BECAUSE OF SCHEDULING DIFFICULTIES.
AGUSTSSON REPEATED THAT HE WOULD BE PREPARED TO GO IN
MAY, JUNE OR AUGUST, OR POSSIBLY IN CONNECTION WITH
UNGA MEETING IN SEPTEMBER.
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